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WASHINGTON, D. C., WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 1885.

Washington News and Gossip. UNION CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING
ASSOCIATION.

The 45th regular monthly meeting for payment of
dues and making advances will be held at Hall corner
8th and E streets n.w., on WEDNESDAY, June 3d,
1885, at 7:30 o'clock p.m.
New stock can be taken at this meeting.
DENNIS CONNELL, President.
DANIEL DONOVAN, Secretary.

1t GOVERNMENT RECEIPTS TO-DAY.-Internal revenue, \$260,456; customs, \$589,471. THE FIRST OPEN-AIR CONCERT of the season by the Marine band will be given in the White

House grounds next Saturday. TO THE MUTUAL AID SOCIETY OF BALTIMORE, Mp.:—With pleasure I tender my thanks for the prompt payment to my father, James Lee, of six weeks sick benefits, amounting to \$15, and the payment within 24 hours after notice of \$25 funeral benefits. JOSEPHINE LEE, 488 School ARMY ORDERS.-Lieut. William F. Halsey has been ordered to duty at the branch hydrographic office at New York. Assistant Surgeon E. W. Auzel ordered to the receiving ship Inde-

THE FORTIFICATIONS BOARD, of which the A MEETING OF THOSE INTERESTED in Forest Culture, and Forestry generally, will be held FRIDAY, JUNE 5, at 8 P.M., at 913 Pennsylvania ave. It is hoped that a regular "Forestry Company" may be organized. John Sherman, L. J. Atwater, John F. Paret, Otis Bigelow, N. H. Eggleston, Daniel S. Curtis, W. C. Dodge, H. A. Seymour, Samuel Maddox, Robert W. Best, W. A. Bartlett, and others. Hon. N. J. Colman is expected to be at the meeting. Secretary of War is president, authorized by Congress to examine and report upon the necessities of our seacoast defenses, held its first meeting to-day in the office of Secretary Endicott. A plan of procedure was mapped out.

A. G. MENOCAL, civil engineer, United States navy, has reported to Secretary Whitney the arrival at New York of himself and party, who have been surveying the route for an interoceanic canal through Nicaragua. from interfering in putting them up or having it done.
Estimates for this work, and also for Electric and
Mechanical Bells, Burglar Alarm, Speaking Tules
and Lightning Rods, cheerfully given at reasonable

NAVAL ORDERS .- Lieut. (junior grade) Wm. H. Schuetze has been ordered to examination for promotion; Lieut. Wm. F. Halsey to duty at the branch hydrographic office, New York ; Assistant Surgeon E. W. Anzel to the Inde-

THE SUCCESSFUL LOCAL BIDDERS for stationery and miscellaneous supplies for the War de-partment for the next fiscal year are as follows: Ballantyne & Son, J. L. Whittington. Easton & Rupp, J. F. Paret, J. D. Free, jr., C. W. Thorn & Co., E. Morrison, J. J. Chapman, V. G. Fisher, R. K. Helphenstine, Geo. Ryneal, jr., J. W. Boteler & Son, Z. D. Gilman, M. W. Beveridge, R. Goldschmid. Barbour & Hamilton, Chas. I. Kellogg, F. G. Wheeler, F. A. Schneider, Jac. R. may be taken at this meeting and at the office daily from 8:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

THOMAS SOMERVILLE, President.

JNO. JOY EDSON, Secretary, office 917 F st., 2d floor. Kellogg, E. G. Wheeler, F. A. Schneider, Jas. B. A STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL AND entertainment for the benefit of the Church of the Hallowel Name will be held at Union hall, Mt. Pleasant, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, June 3d, commencing at six o'clock p.m. A pleasant feature of the entertainment will be a waiter-girls' drill by young ladies of the village accompanied by music. Lambie and W. S. Thompson.

SECRETARY WHITNEY has returned from New York, and was at the Navy department to-day. THE FOLLOWING ARMY OFFICERS have been appointed to act as inspestors of camp and garrison equipage, ordnance stores, and recruiting property: Capt. Henry Metcalf, ordnance department, at Albany, N. Y.; Capt. Stevens T.
Norvell, 10th cavalry, Baltimore; Major Augustus G. Robinson, quartermaster at Boston, Mass.; Capt. Lewis C. Forsyth, assistant quartermaster at Boston, division, is a lawyer and a newspaper man. He gustus G. Robinson, quartermaster at Boston, Mass.; Capt. Lewis C. Forsyth, assistant quar-termaster at Buffalo, N. Y.: Capt. John B. Kerr, 6th cavalry, Chicago, Ill.; First Lieut, Frank A.

revenue cutter Samuel Dexter sailed from Baltimore Gazette, and in 1880 a democratic Newport Tuesday morning on a cruise west- collector of customs for Maryland. He was atward, but had gone no further than Point Judith when her grates gave out and she returned to Newport.

sonal property, under oath, within forty-five days from this date, and in default of such return the Assessor is required by law to make out such statement from the best information that can be obtained, and add thereto a penalty of fifty per centum.

Blank schedules can be obtained at this office.

By order of the Commissioners of the District of Columbia. LOST HIM HIS PLACE.—Among half a dozen dis- and Sam. J. Randall. missals made from the sixth auditor's office within the past three or four days for various reasons was that of a clerk who has been several times promoted under the civil service rules. No cause for his removal was announced and he made a very vigorous protest, until he found that the cause of his removal was that when the false report came in that Blaine had been elected, he was among a lot of clerks who give "three cheers for the plumed knight."

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J. P. WRIGHT, 319 4½ st. n.w. THE GOVERNORSHIP OF DAKOTA .- James McNamara, of Freeport, Ill., who is indorsed by Hon, S. S. Cox and others, is an applicant for the governorship of Dakota, ADMILAL JOUETT A MEDIATOR.—The follow-

LLOYD'S WASHINGTON 25-CENT Local Express. Baggage checked at residence to railroads and steamboats. Furniture carefully removed. Offices, 1003 F st. n.w. and 481 Pa. ave. n.w. Telephone No. 549-4. Service prompt and radiable. I. F. O'PRIEN Manager 1 ing dispatch from Admiral Jouett, relative to the trouble between the Colombian states, has been received at the Navy department: "The president of Colombia empowers me to mediate SPECIAL NOTICE—DR. CUSTIS HAS removed from 604 to 110 East Capitol st. Office hours: 8 to 9:30 a.m.: 1 to 2 p.m., except Sunday; 5 to 7 p.m. Telephone number 397-6, my 28-1w* between contending parties. The Barranquilla government grants the insurgents reasonable terms. A successful mediation is probable, which will end the revolution. I shall make an earnest attempt to settle the trouble." the only agent for the following brands of Imported Beer:

To CATCH A DEVIL FISH.—The fish commission steamer Albatross, Commander Z. L. Tanner, sailed from the Norfolk navy yard yester-The trade and families supplied. Orders by mail or day afternoon to commence her summer's work, and her first cruise, seventy miles east of the Virginia capes, in search of tile fish. From there she will sail for th Grand Banks, where NOTICE.-TAXES! TAXES!!-THERE are undoubted grounds for believing that an effort will be made to capture a complete many Special Assessments and Lien Certificates now outstanding are illegal, and can, by concerted action, be wholly set aside or cancelled. Parties interested should apply at once at the office of the Special Tax Relief Association. W. F. MATTIFNLY and C. H. LEE Counsel; JAMES MCKENZIE, Secretary. Room 1, 435 7th st. n.w. specimen of the mammoth octopus.

AMONG THE PRESIDENT'S CALLERS TO-DAY were Attorney General Garland, Minister Lawton, Senators Voorhees, Vance, Colquitt, Call and Harris, Commissioner Miller, Representa-tives Eden, Dougherty, Lowry and Jas, Elder, of Indiana; Dibble, Hemphill, Townshend, Veece, ex-Representative Manning, Gen. Eppa Hunton, ex-Senator Pomeroy, G. B. Gibson, Cincinnati; Dr. Wills De Hass, J. Carmichael, New York city; Thomas A. Robinson, Missouri; F. W. Allen, New York; John D. Townsend, New York; Gen. Hazen and Gen. Walter, C. Whitaker, of Louisville; Dr. Le Roy P. Walker, New York; Gen. Wilcox, Michael L. Woods, New York, and P. S. Wilson, Colorado.

THE DEMOCRATIC MEMBERS of Congress from Illinois, held a conference yesterday in this city at the suggestion of one of the delegation to talk over the distribution of patronage. After a pretty free discussion it was agreed that it was better policy not to undertake to divide up offices among the districts or to arrange a slate All taxes due previous to July 1, 1882, can be paid of names for appointment as federal officials in the state. So the conference adjourned without taking any action, leaving each member to manage appointments for his district as he may JOHN W. CORSON. JOHN W. MACABINEY.

Mr. Bayard's St. Louis Reception. A special to the New York World from St. Louis says: Extensive preparations have been made for the entertainment of Secretary Bayard here to-morrow. An escort, composed of politicians and business men, will meet the distinguished visitor at the other end of the Stock dealt in.

District of Columbia bonds of all denominations on hand for sale. Stock and Bonds of all local street Railroads, Gas, Insurance and Telephone Companies oridge, where he will leave the train to be driven across the river in a carriage to the Southern hotel. Shortly after noon the Secretary will visit the Merchants' exchange, where a public reception will be held. He will dine at 3 at the St. Louis Club, then a visit to the parks and Shaw's garden will be made. Mr. Bayard THE ATTENTION OF VISITORS AND Residents is particularly called to PHOS-VITÆ, the new and popular Brain and Nerve Tonic and Safeguard against Malaria. For sale areated by the glass or in bottles by W. C. MILBURN, Sole Inand party will leave in the evening for Colum-bia, Mo., where he will deliver an address to the State University and Missouri Press Association on Wednesday. From Columbia he will go to Lawrence, Kan., and deliver the annual address before the University of that state, returning thence direct to Washington.

Civil Service Reform Problems.

SECRETARY LAMAR'S LATE APPOINTMENT—THE EXCLUSION OF DAKOTA, ETC. or to all who are so termed in the blue book. In the case under discussion there is no such division provided for in the appropriation bill as that of which the clerk was chief, but the blue book shows the existence of such a division, with a chief and some thirty or forty clerks under him. There are about eleven of these cases in the Interior department, but no more than three or four of them in the other departments. The President will probably decide that all "chiefs of divisions" so recorded in the blue book are excepted from the operation of the civil service rules, but such a decision will not affect the fourth class clerks. It is said at the civil service commissioners'

It is said at the civil service commissioners' office that there is no controversy between the commissioners and Secretary Lamar concerning the refusal of the commission to assign a certain Territory to fill a vacancy under the service. The facts in the case are simply this, that Secretary Lamar, in sending in an application for five clerks, suggested that one come from Dakota; but the commission could not comply with his desire, as the Territory had its quota, and would not be entitled to an appointment for some time. When this was explained the matter was dropped. As to filling vacanthe matter was dropped. As to filling vacancies by men from the same state from which the former occupant of the place was appointed, the commissioners say it cannot be done, though such a thing might happen without design.

The Troops Capture the Squaws. A dispatch from Bowle, A. T., says that the troops following the renegade Indians' trail with scouts from Apache, on the headwaters of the Gila river, are reported as having captured the main portion of the band, including the squaws, and are now en route for Apache with their prisoners. It is supposed that only about fitty, all told, got away to Mexico. A small band are supposed to be in the mountains north of here, but their number is not known. The campaign is virtually ended on this side of the line.

By an incendiary fire in a Hungarian village recently 1,000 persons were left homeless. The culprit being discovered was roasted to death over a bonfire.

IN THE CASE OF MR. FOWLER AND OTHERS.

Third Auditor Williams has taken hold of his office with a vigorous hand, and is trying to THEY ARE WILLING TO LET CAPT. SYMONS DO organize it in such a way as to enable him to dispose of the work, which, he says, he found almost hopelessly behind. Several changes have been made.

The deputy third auditor, Mr. A. M. Gangewer, has tendered his resignation, to take effect on the 30th of June. Charles E. Lewis, a third-class clerk in the ision division, has been dismissed, and Jos. B. Fowler, the chief of pensions division who was dismissed on Saturday, has been reinstated and appointed in Lewis' place. Mr. John B. the canal officials are willing to assent to the Hussey, of North Carolina, has been made chief proposed changes, but they want to be pro-

The reduction of Fowler to the third-class clerkship, from a position of chief which was excepted from the civil service rules, was made according to those rules, which provide that if | tion that would not pertain to any other level. a man was appointed to an excepted position—
that is, a position not protected by the law—
that is, a position not protected by the law—
canal is so low that in time of very high water before the law was passed, he may be reduced to the classified rank; but that if he was appointed since the passage of the law he cannot be so reduced. Commissioner Gregory informed a STAR reporter, to day, that Gregory informed a STAR reporter to-day that there had been several such cases, two or three in the Treasury, one in the Post Office and some in other departments, probably, and the reduc-tion had been uniformly allowed when the official had held his office before the law went into effect. In one case, he said, a man who was chief traded places with a third class clerk. But this does not open up a way for avoiding the civil service examination, as any man now appointed to be chief of division will be derred from the classified service except through the regular course. The law is very clear on the subject, and no attempt is being made to

The history of Fowler's reduction and Lewis' dismissal is interesting. During Folger's time W. H. Whitney, who was chief of the pension division, was not liked very well by Third Auditor Keightley, who had him dismissed and Lewis, the third class clerk, who has just been dismissed and him bis place. The personnel of the pension of the dismissed, put in his place. The new arrangement did not work, however, to Keightley's satisfaction, and about a year ago he went to the Secretary and reported that for many reasons it would be a good thing if Lewis could be put

division, is a lawyer and a newspaper man. He feth cavalry, Chicago, Ill.; First Lieut, Frank A. Edwards, 1st eavalry, Clncinnati, Ohio; Second Lieut. Clarence R. Edwards, 23d infantry, Cleveland, Ohio; Major John H. Belcher, quartemaster, Denver, Col.; Capt. Charles C. De Rudio, 7th cavalry, Harrisburg, Penn.; First Lieut. Francis Michler, 5th cavalry, at New York city; First Lieut. Clarence A. Stedman, 9th cavalry, New York city; Capt. Charles C. De Rudio, 7th cavalry, at Philadelphia, Penn.; First Lieut. Louis A. Craig, 6th cavalry, St. Louis, Mo.

Greensboro' (N. C.) Patriot, the order is the cate, of which he is the cate of which he is the cate, of the work shall be done by thouse some years ago, and during the last Congress was clerk to the committee on printing.

W. H. Welch, of Baltimore, was to-day appointed deputy third auditor of the Treasury, vice A. M. Gangewer, resigned. Mr. Welch is a native of York county, Pa., where, he was president of that body in 1856. He practiced law in that state; was elected to the state senate, and was president of that body in 1856. He went to proprietor of the Philadelphia Age. He went to the cate, of the c has been for twelve years connected with the Greensboro' (N. C.) Patriot, the oldest demotache of legation at London when Buchanan was minister. He was recommended for the appointment by the whole Maryland delegation, but owes his success chiefly to the efforts THREE CHEERS FOR THE PLUMED KNIGHT in his behalf made by Congressmen Findlay

> The New School Superintendent. MR, PAUL APPOINTED FOR TWO YEARS FROM JULY 1ST NEXT.

The Commissioners yesterday made the following order: "That the temporary appointment of Edward A. Paul as a superintendent of public schools shall cease and determine on left their desks and rushed into the corridor to the 30th day of June instant, and he is hereby appointed a superintendent of public schools for the full term of two years, beginning with the 1st day of July, 1885."

years, and suggested that Mr. Wilson had never at 1311 H street northwest. His family been reappointed during all the time he had been acting as superintendent. They stated in reply that Gov. Cooke had first appointed Mr. Wilson August 23, 1871, and that Gov. Shepherd had reappointed him December 1, 1873, after which time he held over until his resignation. He was appointed by Gov. Cooke in compliance with an act of the legislative assembly, approved August 21,1871. They also state that the law fixes the term for Mr. Edmonds says that the place would have been filled long ago, but the Commissioners have been looking about to find a man the best suited for the place. In most other cities they pay a much higher salary for superintendent than here, and they can find no better man than Mr. Paul for the position as superinten-

dent for the amount of salary which this Dis-trict pays, and they have therefore settled upon him. Hereafter the term of two years will be recognized, as the law intended. Mr. Paul is a graduate of Dartmouth college. Secretary Tindall states that Mr. Wilson was first appointed by Mayor Emery as school super-

The National University Law School. A LARGE CLASS OF YOUNG BARRISTERS WHO WILL GET THEIR SHEEPSKINS FRIDAY EVEN-

The commencement exercises of the law department of the National University will take place at Ford's Opera House Friday evening. The prayer will be offered by Rev. Dr. Byron Sunderland; the address will be delivered by Judge MacArthur, and the address to the graduating class by Hon. E. John Ellis, of Louisiana. The degrees, it is announced in the program, will be conferred by President Cleveland, the class medals will be awarded by Solicitor Gene ral Goode, and the benediction pronounced by Rev. Dr. J. G. Butler Degrees will be conferred upon the following: Master of Laws-Walter H. Acker, D. Charles A. Burnett, Ind.; Campbell W. Bushnell, D.C.; Samuel M. Cutler, Kan.; Horace W. Eaton, N. Y.; James Gillin, N. J.; James W.

ohnson, Ohio; Frank P. McDermott, D. C.; Patrick O'Farrell, Conn.; Edgar J. Pullman, Penn.; Thomas G. Steward, Ill.; Wattson Smith, Iowa; Stanton Weaver, Ohio; Walter M. Wilson, Penn.; Everett R. York, Neb.

Bachelor of Laws—Charles F. Bacon, Mich.;
Henry S. Berlin, D. C.; Oliphant B. Brown,
Iowa; Edmund H. Brown, Md.; Samuel H.
Chase, D. C.; Albert T. Coumbe, D. C.; George
P. Davise Ohio; Henry P. Farnham, N. Y.;
Thomas M. Fields, Penn., Walter H. Foss, N.H.;
James Y. Haslett, Iowa; Alonzo E. Helm, Ind.;
James D. Holman, Miss.; Mellen C. Hooker, Vt.;
George V. Jennings, N. Y.: Thomas T. Knox,
Tenn.; George W. Koonce, N.C.: Frank A. Law,
D. C.; Edward P. Leech, N.Y.; Edward O. Leech,
D. C.; Lawson Lindsley, D. C.; Gustavus B. Maynadler, D. C.; Perry G. Michener, Ind.; William Penn.; Everett R. York, Neb. D. C.; Lawson Lindsley, D. C.; Gustavus B. May-nadier, D. C.; Perry G. Michener, Ind.; William H. Myers, Ohio.; George F. O'Hair, Ind.; Louis E. Phillips, N.Y.; Edward I. Pool, N. C.; Daniel Ramey, Penn.; Robert H. Reed, Penn.; Alexan-der H. Semmes, D. C.; Frank A. Warner, N. Y.;

A Brilliant Wedding in Richmond.

and Charles H. Williams, Ohio.

THE ONLY DAUGHTER OF "STONEWALL" JACK-SON MARRIED. The question arising from Secretary Lamar's appointing, without a civil service examination, a chief of division in his department whose salary brought him to the rank of a fourth class clerk, has not yet been settled. The question is whether the exception of heads of divisions from the operation of the civil service rules applies to heads of divisions, appropriated for as such, or to all who are so termed in the blue book. In stion arising from Secretary Lamar's | daughter of Gen. "Stonewall" Jackson, to Mr. ornaments, the gift of the groom. Among those present were Dr. Yelverton Garnett, of Washington, and John Randolph Tucker, jr. A reception followed. Many congratulatory telegrams and letters were received from prominant an confederate soldiers. The presents nent ex-confederate soldiers. The presents were numerous. Among the notable ones was a superb solid silver card basket lined with gold from the Louisiana division of the Army of Northern Virginia. This has on the rim three designs-two medallions, one of Jackson and one of Lee; the third is the seal of the Army of Northern Virginia bearing the legend: "From Manassas to Appomattox. Deo vindice." Perhaps the most costly present was that sent by Mr. W. W. Corcoran, of Washington, a solid gold set of fruit spoons. Gen. Joseph E. Johnston, Gen. Custis Lee and Gen. Jubal A. Early also sent presents.

THE HOMEOPATHISTS .- A report submitted THE HOMEOPATHISTS.—A report submitted to the 38th annual meeting of the American Institute of Homeopathy, at St. Louis, on Tuesday, shows that there are in the United States 29 state societies, 4 interstate, 102 local, 21 clubs and 6 miscellaneous societies; 25 hospitals, 30 special hospitals, 50 dispensaries, 13 colleges, 2 special schools, 1,083 students and 19 journals. The progress of homeopathy in different parts of the country was reported upon by delegates, and a very favorable showing was made. About 150 delegates were present, and twenty-five new members were admitted.

Indignation Against Dynamiters in Denver.—Yesterday morning the barn of Mr. C. R. Davis, a few feet from his residence, on 8th street, in Denver, Col., was blown up with either giant powder or dynamite. A few months ago the employes of Mr. Davis' flour mill asked for an increase in their wages, which was refused, and the men struck and new men were employed to fill their places. Since then the strikers have boycotted Davis and have made numerous threats. Several other attempts to blow up property in Denver have been discovered recently. If the outrages continue the indignation of the citizens will possibly materialize into a vigilance committee. INDIGNATION AGAINST DYNAMITERS IN DEN-

A bill has been introduced in the Spanish chamber to raise a \$25,000,000 loan for the benefit of the Cuban treasury.

Position of the Canal Officials.

THE NECESSARY WORK, BUT WANT TO GUARD CANAL INTERESTS. The officials of the canal company have deferred giving a positive answer to Capt. Symons, representing the government, in relation to the change of the waste weir at Great Falls and the

closing of the tumbling dams or overflows there until they can consult with the attorney of the canal company. As stated in yesterday's STAR, the canal officials are willing to assent to the tected fully against any possible injury to the canal property. There is a feature in connection with that level which requires considerathe towpath embankment high enough to prevent high water from the river overflowing into it. All the money has not yet been expended. The towpath embankment has been raised part of the way, but a balance of \$1,100 of the government appropriation still remains to be expended in protecting the canal from overflow. At the point of overflow the river bed rises above the canal bed, and it is important to provide an adequate place of outlet for storm water in case of a big rise in the river. Capt. Symons took all these facts into consideration in making his plans, and agreed in behalf of the government that no damage should accrue to the canal provided his plans should be adopted. Another point is that the canal officials insist that the changes at Great Falls shall be made under the supervision of the canal athorities. The expressions of the canal officials and their action indicate that they do not intend to throw any impediment in the way of the prevention there of pollution of the water. They want to protect the canal against loss or injury. Capt. Symons agrees to protect them against loss or injury, and the chances are that in a few days the whole matter will be arranged. Capt. Symons told a STAR reporter that \$1,000 would cover the entire expense of the changes desired. The situation may be thus summed up: The discussion between Capt. Symons and the canal officials yesterday resulted in a practical agree-

WHAT AUDITOR ALEXANDER SAYS. In an interview by a STAR reporter with Fifth Auditor Alexander, who has been very intimately related, both officially and personally, with the deceased for the past four years, he stated that the idea of suicide was preposterous. There could be no reason for it. He was in good circumstances financially, and his family relations were of the most pleasant and tigo, and to this and nothing else could his fall and death be attributed. On two occasions within the past four years he has fallen in his office, at one time lying insensible for nearly an hour. About four years ago he was visiting friends at the Riggs house and fell in an attack of vertigo, being taken to his A STAR reporter asked the Commissioners to-day why the term of office was fixed for two most serious attack was while he was living was absent, and while preparing for bed he was seized with dizziness and fell to the floor, striking his head against the top of a dressing case, inflicting a severe wound. He lay on the floor all night in an insensible condition, and was unable to leave his house for several days because of the injuries sustained. His last attack was on Friday evening before he left for St. Louis, on Monday the 25th ult. He was lunching with a party of friends and was about to fall when assistance came. After this mishap his wife and friends were doubtful about propriety of his going west alone, he calmed their fears by assurbut ances that he was feeling better and would be cheerful. The fact that he would be with friends, too, made him more confident that no harm would befall him. Mr. Alexander says he stopped over several days in Cincinnati, and while there attended the Presbyterian general assembly. He wrote back a beautiful letter to his wife, descriptive of the meeting and of his pleasant visits upon Dr. John Hall and other distinguished divines with whom he has been personally acquainted for many years. Upon his arrival in St. Louis he went directly to his friend, Mr. C. B. Albers, a prosperous commission merchant of that city Mr. Albers was a member of Judge Reynolds company during the entire war, and he always made Albers' house his home when in St. Louis. He went to the hotel Menday night for the purpose of meeting Kansas friends who were to see him on business, intending to go to Kansas the next day. Private telegrams from Mr. Albers and other friends scouted the idea of suicide. He was in excellent spirits and wrote his wife a letter on Sunday, which she received after she had heard the news of his death. The letter was a very pleasant one, indicating that he was in excellent spirits.

Je /a W. Drew Acquitted.

FINAL FAILURE OF THE .PROSECUTION

AGAINST HIM-THE SCENE IN THE COURT The jury which retired with the case of John W. Drew a little after noon yesterday came into court at half-past seven o'clock last evening with a verdict of acquittal. The agreement was reached about 6:30 o'clock, four ballots having been taken before that without result. The first ballot, it is stated, was 10 to 2 for acquittal; the second 9 to 3, and the third and fourth 10 to 2. The next ballot was unanimous for acquittal. The news got out of the jury room, and was spread with amazing rapidity for by the time Judge MacArthur arrived at the court house to receive the verdict, a large gathering of business men and friends of Mr. Drew had assembled. When Mr. Earl, the foreman of the jury, pronounced the words "not guilty," the crowd in the court room burst into applause, which the court officers had some difficulty in suppressing. Mr. Drew was at once surrounded by a host of enthusiastic friends, who pressed their congratulations upon him. Before leaving the court he spoke and thanked the jury. Mr. Taggart, the first assistant to the district attorney, was present when the jury came in, and Mr. Worthington, who had been sent for, reached the city hall a Mr. Drew had very little time to attend to The wedding of Miss Julia Jackson, only business to-day. He received a perfect ovation from his friends and acquaintances, who poured likely that Mr. Drew will be called upon to answer it.

HE WAS HUNGRY.—Charles Bailey, a hung-ry looking colored man, was before Judge Snell this morning, charged with the larceny of a meal of victuals from Martha White, an old meal of victuals from Martha White, an old colored woman, who keeps a cook shop at the corner of 3d and H streets southwest. Martha, who seemed angry and excited, told the court that Bailey came in her shop last night and, after devouring a plate of hog chitterlings and biscuits, he refused to pay her, and she grabbed his hat, which she gave him when Officer Sheehan arrested him. The goods were not recovered. The judge said that Bailey was not guilty of larceny under the law, and dismissed the case.

Alexandria Affairs. Reported for THE EVENING STAR.

CENSUS OF MINORS.—The school census will be taken by Hubert Snowden, clerk of the school board, during June and July. This census is required by law to be taken every five years. The law requires that the census shall be "or all persons residing within the school district between the ages of five and twenty-one years, and also to gather statistics relating to the interests of education in the district, according to forms furnished by the superintendent of public instruction." Besides this, the present year's lists will embrace all the children under five years of age, so that, as the registration of voters gives a list of males over 21, the two lists, with an estimate of the women over 21, will furnish a full census of population in each district of the state. The city's school fund receives \$1 annually for each name embraced in the school census, and hence it is important that at each house the names of all under 21 be given, which will include, of course, most of the ladies.

Notes.—The schooner L. C. Messer is under repair at the ship-yard.—Miss Bettie Duffey, the excellent daughter of the commissioner of the revenue, is quite ill.—Mrs. Jane E. Tolson died at her home, on South Fairfax street, yesterday. She will be buried in Washington tomorrow.—Some of the license and the no license votes in Alexandria county will be contested. CENSUS OF MINORS.—The school census will

Changes in the Third Auditor's Office, PROTECTION OF THE WATER Telegrams to The Star.

MELTON WINS THE DERBY.

THE AFGHAN FRONTIER COMMISSION.

DEATHS BY LIGHTNING IN CHICAGO.

WAR ON THE CHICAGO GAMBLERS.

A TERRIBLE THUNDER STORM.

last night's storm is four. The name of one man killed on Blue Island avenue has not been ascertained. The others are: Jno. Montague, Mrs. Annie Anderson, Chas Wahlforth, John Rothke. The last two were laborers employed in a lumber yard. The first named was a watchman, and Mrs. Anderson was the wife of a mechanic. While leaning over a stove preparing supper the bolt came down the chimney, knocking her senseless and tearing up the floor.

MYSTERIOUS CRIES FOR HELP. During the height of the storm last night, switchmen working near the Illinois Central round house, at the bot of 16th street, heard men shouting for help. The switchmen went down to the breakwater and halloed. They were answered by a chorus of shouts, which seemed to come from a number of men out in the lake. The railroad men continued to call. The answers gradually became fainter. Shortly afterward a watchman heard the cries at the foot of 18th street. He rushed down to the breakwater and called again, and was answered by the voices of several men. The watchmen thought the men were drifting south. He attempted to call the police through the patrol box, but was driven away by the flashes of lightning which leaped from the telephone instrument whenever he touched it. When the police finally learned of men being out on the lake a patrol wagon was sent to the foot of 18th street. The officers took lanterns and patroled the beach, but they could not see out sixty yards on the lake. When they first came the officers heard the cries, but the voices were very faint, and seemed a long way out. It is thought a vessel may have been struck by lightning, and that the crew had been forced to take to a boat or a raft. NARROW ESCAPE FROM A CATASTROPHE.

During the storm, Henry Carmody, bridge tender at the Halsted street bridge, was the nero of a performance that probably saved the lives of a number of people. In the midst of the blinding wind and rain he had closed the bridge, through which a vessel had passed, and stepped into his shanty. A street car bound north dashed upon the bridge, and as it neared the center of the structure Carmody glanced out of the window and was horrified to see the bridge slowly swinging open. palace of the British resident is a mass of ruins The driver had his head ducked down to wards off the force of the storm, and was apparently unaware of the fearful consequences of his neglect and the danger ahead. Carmody took in the situation at a glance, dashed out of the bridge-house and ran at the top of his speed across the bridge toward the car. Reaching the waters of the river. The driver, in his haste to get across, allowed the team to travel at a rapid gait, and a horrible catastrophe and loss of life was only prevented by Carmody's nerve and

At 5:40 o'clock last evening, just as the electric lamp in front of Thomas Considine's saloon, No. 69 Randolph street, was lighted, it was struck by lightning, shattered into fragments, a portion of the wires attached to it fused and the sign and woodwork adjoining it set on fire. As the current was on and the dynamo machine on Washington street was in full opera tion, the electricity kept coming and throwing out its sparks, and kept one of Considine's employes busy for nearly fifteen minutes throwing water on the sign and woodwork. Word was finally sent to the operator on Washington street and the trouble was ended. The steeple of the Polish Catholic church, on Thirty-third street, between Laurel and Ullman, life on the lake, off this port, in the storm last night is unfounded. It is now thought that

the sounds heard came from a disreputable crowd of persons who frequent a "bumboat," which lies anchored off the government pier.

THE AFGHAN BOUNDARY. A Meeting of the Commission Looked for Shortly—The Afghan Soldiers In-censed at the Course of Events.

London, June 3.-A Sinjou dispatch says that a meeting of the British-Russian Afghan boundary commission is expected to take place soon, when will be begun the consideration of the question of the delimitation of the Afghan boundary. A dispatch from Sinjou says: "The Russians are evacuating Penjdeh, but public notice of its cession has been posted at Herat. The Afghan

soldiers are incensed. They had expected to avenge their defeat. Influential Afghans here explain that they would prefer to fight Russia alone first, in order to show the Mollahs that they are fighting for Islam, not for England, and thus light a religious flame, and make every Afghan man, woman and child a Ghazi

From Wall Street To-day. NEW YORK, June 3.-The stock market opened this morning with an advance of 1/8 to a per cent for most of the active list, which was lost in the early dealings, but the slight de-cline was followed by a rally of 3 to 5 per cent, and then another reaction, which continued until 11 o'clock, leaving quotations only a shade above last evening's final figures. Lackawanna has been rather heavy all the morning. Loan-ing rates are 1-16 for Lackawanna, 1-128a1-64 for Northwestern. Others easy. Total sales

Mistaken for Robbers and Killed. HOW TWO TEXAS RANGERS MET THEIR DEATH

AT THE HANDS OF MEXICANS. LAREDO, TEXAS, June 3 .- The killing of Lieut. Seiker and Sergeant Reilly and wounding of Private Ayten, of the State Rangers, by Mexicans, now seems to have been the result of a deplorable mistake on both sides. For years the State Rangers on this frontier have been under command of Capt, Sheely, whose company was recently disbanded by the governor through lack of a sufficient appropriation. Lieut Seiker and his company were only recently ordered to this section, and were unacquainted with the people. The Mexicans who did the killing were Alpelanis Gonzales and son, aged 13. Gonzales has been noted as the best guide and In-dian trailer in this country, and owns a large ranche. He and his son were met by the Rangers, when the Rangers approached and de-manded their arms. Young Gonzales, not recognizing their strange faces, opened fire, kill-ing Lieut. Seiker and fatally wounding Sergt. Reilly. Gonzales and son then fled, believing they were being pursued by a band of robbers. On reaching the ranche of Proneville Herrera, the deputy sheriff of Webb county, they claimed his protection, and the fearful error was discovered for the first time. Gonzales insisted on being carried to Lerede for tiell and sisted on being carried to Laredo for trial, and not to Eagle Pass, where he is a stranger and would be killed.

Presbyterians for Prohibition. TOPEKA, KAS., June 3 .- The united Presbyterian assembly has passed a resolution in favor of prohibition, saying its good work here alone justifies the position.

A Dinner to Minister Lathrop. DETROIT, MICH., June 3.—The Detroit club gave a farewell reception last night to Hon. George V. N. Lathrop, minister to Russia. Ad-dresses were made by President Angell, Sena-tor T. W. Palmer and Mr. Lathrop.

Burning of a Hotel. BRIDGETON, MAINE, June 3.-The Waterford house, in Waterford village, was burned this morning, as was also a stable owned by Capt. Henry O. Applebee. A part of the furniture of the house was saved. The hotel was built eleven years ago at a cost of \$10,000. It was partially insured. Artemus Ward's home, near by, escaped injury.

Union Pacific's Indebtedness. CONTRADICTION OF A REPORT SENT FROM NEW

BOSTON, MASS., June 3.—A New York dispatch of yesterday stated that the decision in the Union Pacific case in the Court of Claims was subjected to an expert to report as to the amount due, and that the expert's report makes the company liable for \$350,000, in addition to the \$900,000 already paid. This was shown to the company's officias in Boston, and they say there is no foundation for the statement about the expert's report. When the estimate was made up by the commissioner of railroads, the company, in order not to be in default, paid it, under protest, the amount being \$917,000, and took an appeal, which it is expected will be heard by the Court of Claims at the October term. Until then no one can have any knowledge as to the amount that will be justly due, and there is good reason to believe that the company's experts expect that the commissioner's estimate will be greatly reduced.

The pump at the corner of 32d street and Dumbarton avenue is out of repair and has been for some time past. Persons who have been accustomed to drink the water out of this pump complain about the fishy taste of the Potomac water.

SHIPPING NEWS.—Schooner Cora arrived to-day with 510 tons of ice from Kennebec; schr. Horatio Nichols cleared to-day with 325 tons of coal for Nortolk; schr. Albert Mason cleared to-day with 16,000 bushels of corn for New York.

TEMPERATURE AND CONDITION OF WATER AT 7A M.—Great Falls, temperature, 69; condition, 6; receiving reservoir, temperature, 72; condition at influent gate house, 36; low fide in the river to-day at 5:30 p. m. High tide at 10:30 p. m.

Cholera has broken out in the prison at Valencia, Spain, and in the garrison at Albaceta.

TWO CENTS.

tempering the heat of the sun's rays. The attendance at the race course was enormous. Mr. Thomas M. Waller, consulgeneral of the United States at London, was among the spectators. He was accompanied by a large party of Americans. The winner of the race was Lord Hasting's bay colt Melton. He was the favorite in the betting, and was ridden by the lamous Jockey Fred. Archer; Capt. C. Bowling's bay colt Paradox, second place, and Mr. Childwick's bay colt Royal Hampton, third place. Paradox was second choice in the betting. He was ridden by Webb. Giles rode Royal Hampton. The other starters were Mr. Gerard's bay colt The other starters were Mr. Gerard's bay colt Crofton, Mr. W. H. Manser's bay colt Chonbra, Lord Scarbrough's chestnut colt Kingwood, Lord Alington's brown colt Luminary, Gen. Pearson's bay colt Redrain, Lord Bradford's brown colt Sheraton, M. A. Lupin's chestnut colt Xaintralles, Mr. R. C. Vyner's chestnut colt Esterling and Lord Rosebery's bay colt by Mac-aroni, out of Lynette.

Just before the race 5 to 4 was offered against Melton and freely taken; 5 to 1 was offered against Paradox, 5 to 1 against Xaintrailles, 6 to 1 against Crafton, 10 to 1 against Royal Hampton, 12 to 1 against Kingwood and 2 to 1 against the field, consisting of Chombra, Luminary, Redrain, Sheraton, Esterling and the The Prince and Princess of Wales and all their

MELTON WINS THE DERBY.

Consul Waller and Senator Payne Rep

resent America at the Great Race.

London, June 3 .- The greatest event on the

English sporting calendar, the race for the

Derby stakes, was run to-day at Epsom downs. The weather was brilliant, a pleasant breeze

tempering the heat of the sun's rays. The at-

sons and daughters went to Epsom by a special train to witness the races.
Senator Payne, of Ohio, was among those The race at the finish was close and exciting. Melton won by a head. Royal Hampton was a bad third. Time, 2:44 1-5.

Four Persons Killed by Lightning in Chicago Street Car Passengers in CHICAGO, June 3.—As far as has been learned the number of persons killed by lightning in the number of persons killed by lightning i colt, and 150 to 1 against Chonbra. THREE SECONDS FROM LONDON TO NEW YORK.

New York, June 3.—The message announcing the Derby winner was transmitted from London to New York this morning by the Direct United States Cable company to the Assoctated Press in just three seconds, about the quickest time yet made between the two cities.

Chicago Gamblers Surprised.

MAYOR HARRISON ORDERS ALL GAMBLING PLACES RAIDED ON THE 5TH, AND IT IS THOUGHT THE ORDER WILL BE ENFORCED. CHICAGO, June 3.—In accordance with in-structions from Mayor Harrison, the chief of police has issued orders to all lieutenants and officers to inform the proprietors of gambling places that the ordinance relative to the seizare and destruction of gambling implements will be enforced literally on and after the 5th inst. In case of any suits being brought against police officers by reason of such seizure and destruction, the corporation council has volunteered the services of the law department for the defense of such suits without any cost to the officers. The proprietors of all the regular gambling houses and the saloon keepers in whose places poker is played have been notified of this order. The notification was a great surprise to the proprietors. None of them had ex-pected it, and all regard it as meaning business. Similar orders have been given before, but the gamblers are utterly unable to account for such action at this time. One of them suggested that perhaps a recent article relating to the experience of a man who lost a large sum of money and was twice arrested by the police for "kicking," had forced upon the mayor the conclusion that it was time an effort was made to stop gambling in Chicago.

The Earthquake in Cashmere. THE LOSS OF LIFE AT SERINAGUR NOT SO GREAT

AS WAS FEARED. LONDON, June 3 .- A later dispatch from Serinagur regarding the earthquake in Cashmer says that fifty soldiers of the garrison of Serin agur were wounded. Forty natives were killed outright and eighty others were injured. Many of the latter will die of their injuries. The

Herbert Spencer Not Pleased. HIS DIFFERENCES WITH FREDERIC HARRISON NOT YET MADE UP.

LONDON, June 3 .- Mr. Herbert Spencer, in letter to the Times of this morning, notes the communication of Mr. Frederic Harrison in the beautiful character. Mr. Alexander said that Judge Reynolds was subject to attacks of vertigo, and to this and nothing else could his fall dense from the end of the rails and over the muddy specific to the driver to put on the from the end of the rails and over the muddy by both. Mr. Harrison stated in his last letter that he believed Mr. Spencer guiltless of inten-tional wrong in the publication of the book in America, and regarded him as a victim of the ill-judged advice of partisans. Mr. Spencer, in his letter of to-day, writes:
"I would rather have it supposed that I intentionally ignored Mr. Harrison's copyright claim.
I have cabled the Messrs. Appleton to stop the sale of the book, to destroy the stock on hand and the stereotype plates and to debit me with their loss."

The Hessian Fly in Kansas. ITS RAVAGES IN WHEAT, MAKING ALL ESTI-MATES OF THE CROP UNRELIABLE.

TOPEKA, KAS., June 3.—There is now no doubt but that the Hessian fly is doing as much damage, if not more, than did the cold weather last winter, and the surplus wheat of Kansas will dwindle down to small proportions. Fields that four weeks ago promised one-half to threewas struck and completely wrecked. An unknown woman was knocked down while passing along a street in the Hinman street district and stunned. She was carried off in a wagon, but was not seriously hurt.

From investigations made by the life saving service it is thought that the rumor of a loss of life on the lake, off this port, in the storm last ception of the wheat crop could be formed; now no one can form any estimate, and all guesses are wild ones. In the great wheat valley of Kansas the gypsum, in Saline county, where wheat never fails, entire fields are being plowed and millet sown. This is repeated in all parts

General Foreign News by Cable. MR. LOWELL TO THE MAYOR OF WORCESTER London, June 3.—Mr. Lowell has sent a letter to the mayor of Worcester expressing his thanks for the address presented to him by citizens of Worcester. He says: "This is another witness of the universal kindness and affection

by which the land of my fathers has gone far to make me fancy that I am a son rather than a far-off cousin. ENGLISH INTEREST IN WABASH. London, June 3.—The committee of bond-holders of the Wabash railway company have arranged to send to America Mr. Bald, one of their number, together with Mr. Greath, an ex-pert accountant. Upon the arrival of these two gentiemen in the United States and a third person an American expert will be selected. person, an American expert, will be selected and conjointly the three will make an investigation of the accounts of the Wabash company, and inquire into the prospects of the road.

No CALLERS TO BE RECEIVED ON SATUR-DAYS .- At the cabinet meeting yesterday it was decided that it was necessary for all cabinet officers to have one day in the week to themselves, and Saturday was selected as the day upon which no visitors should be admitted to their offices, following the example of the President. The new rule will go into effect next

PERSONAL.-Senator Riddleberger is at the Metropolitan .- Minister and Mrs. Cox have returned to the city from Old Point Comfort.-Senator Morrill and family, Representative Goff and ex-Sergeant-at-Arms Hooker were registered in New York last night.-Representatives Anderson and Hill and ex-Representative Hurd, of Ohio, are in town.—Senator Culiom returned to Illinois yesterday.—Mr. J. W. Black, the newly appointed Consul at Nuremburg, sailed from New York for his post of duty to-day.—Gen. H. L. Abbott, Professor William Harkness and Gen. R. Brinckerhoff, of Ohio, are at the Ebbitt.—Chief Englneer Wood, of the navy, sailed from New York for Europe to-day.—George M. Ramsey, of this city, was yesterday made one of the committee on appeals of the National Typographical Union, now in session in New York.—Gen. A. R. Lawton, of Georgia, and ex-Senator McCreery, of Kentucky, are at the Riggs.—Rev. C. M. Addison, of Fitchburg, Mass., is visiting friends in this city.—Lieut, and Mrs Mason, of this city, and Mr. Theo. M. B. Myers sailed from New York for Hawre this morning.—Dr. Garnet, jr., went to Richmond to attend the marriage of the daughter of Stonewall Jackson and Mr. Christian yesterday, and wedding to-day .- Gen. H. L. Abbott, Professor William and Mr. Christian yesterday, and wedding presents were sent by Mr. Corcoran and Gen. J. E. Johnston.

THE CASE OF J. PARKER JORDAN.—In the Criminal Court, Judge MacArthur, the case of J. Parker Jordan, indicted for an assault with intent to commit a rape on Isabell Carroll on the 8th of September last, was called to-day. Mr. C. Pelham appeared for the accused, and presented a motion for a postponement, owing to the absence of a material witness—Mrs. Brooke, who lived in the house when the offense is charged to have been committed—and the case was continued. the case was continued.

Affairs in West Washington. BUILDING ASSOCIATION. — At the thirty-seventh-monthly meeting of the First Co-operative Building association held last evening \$8,100 was sold as follows: \$1,600 at 71 per cent; \$5,000 at 70 per cent; \$500 at 69 per cent; \$700 at 68 per cent; \$100 at 67 per cent; \$200 at 64 per cent; total, \$8,100. A large subscription of the new series of stock was received.

A HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL FESTIVAL. — The ladies of Trinity (Catholic) church held a fair and festival last night at Forrest hall for the benefit of St. Joseph parochial school. A gold ring was voted to Miss Virgie Wetzel and an elephant to Master Allie Bates. The amount realized by this entertainment will reach in the neighborhood of \$300. BUILDING ASSOCIATION. - At the thirtyneighborhood of \$300.

Don't Like the Taste of Potomac Water.

The pump at the corner of 32d street and Dumbarton avenue is out of repair and has been for some time past. Persons who have been accustomed to drink the water out of this pump complain about the fishy taste of the Potomac